

Chapter 2 – Coordinate geometry and linear relations

Solutions to Exercise 2A

1 a $A(2, 12), B(8, 4)$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(2 + 8) = 5$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(12 + 4) = 8$$

M is at $(5, 8)$.

b $A(-3, 5), B(4, -4)$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(-3 + 4) = 0.5$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(5 + -4) = 0.5$$

M is at $(0.5, 0.5)$.

c $A(-1.6, 3.4), B(4.8, -2)$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(-1.6 + 4.8) = 1.6$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(3.4 + -2) = 0.7$$

M is at $(1.6, 0.7)$.

d $A(3.6, -2.8), B(-5, 4.5)$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(3.6 + -5) = -0.7$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(-2.8 + 4.5) = 0.85$$

M is at $(-0.7, 0.85)$

2 A is $(1, 1)$, B is $(5, 5)$ and C is $(11, 2)$.

$$AB: x = y = \frac{1}{2}(5 - 1) = 3$$

Midpoint is at $(3, 3)$.

$$BC: x = \frac{1}{2}(5 + 11) = 8$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(5 + 2) = 3.5$$

Midpoint is at $(8, 3.5)$.

$$AC: x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + 11) = 6$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(1 + 2) = 1.5$$

Midpoint is at $(6, 1.5)$.

3 $A(3.1, 7.1), B(8.9, 10.5)$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(3.1 + 8.9) = 6$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(7.1 + 10.5) = 8.8$$

C is at $(6, 8.8)$.

4 a $X(-4, 2), M(0, 3)$

$$\text{For midpt } x: 0 = \frac{1}{2}(-4 + x)$$

$$\therefore x = 4$$

$$\text{For midpt } y: 3 = \frac{1}{2}(2 + y)$$

$$1 + \frac{y}{2} = 3$$

$$\frac{y}{2} = 2, \therefore y = 4$$

Point Y is at $(4, 4)$.

b $X(-1, -3), M(0.5, -1.6)$

$$\text{For midpt } x: 0.5 = \frac{1}{2}(-1 + x)$$

$$1 = -1 + x, \therefore x = 2$$

$$\text{For midpt } y: -1.6 = \frac{1}{2}(-3 + y)$$

$$-3.2 = -3 + y, \therefore y = -0.2$$

Point Y is at $(2, -0.2)$.

c $X(6, 3), M(2, 1)$

$$\text{For midpt } x: 2 = \frac{1}{2}(6 + x)$$

$$4 = 6 + x, \therefore x = -2$$

$$\text{For midpt } y: 1 = \frac{1}{2}(-3 + y)$$

$$2 = -3 + y, \therefore y = 5$$

Point Y is at $(-2, 5)$.

d $X(4, -3), M(0, -3)$

For midpt x : $0 = \frac{1}{2}(4 + x)$

$\therefore x = 4$

For midpt y : does not change so

$y = -3$ Point Y is at $(-4, -3)$

5 At midpoint: $x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + a); y = \frac{1}{2}(4 + b)$

$x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + a) = 5$

$1 + a = 10, \therefore a = 9$

$y = \frac{1}{2}(4 + b) = -1$

$4 + b = -2, \therefore b = -6$

6 a Distance between $(3, 6)$ and $(-4, 5)$

$= \sqrt{(6 - 5)^2 + (3 - (-4))^2}$

$= \sqrt{1^2 + 7^2}$

$= \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2} \approx 7.07$

b Distance between $(4, 1)$ and $(5, -3)$

$= \sqrt{(4 - 5)^2 + (1 - (-3))^2}$

$= \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 4^2}$

$= \sqrt{17} \approx 4.12$

c Distance between $(-2, -3)$ and

$(-5, -8)$

$= \sqrt{(-2 - (-5))^2 + (-3 - (-8))^2}$

$= \sqrt{3^2 + 5^2}$

$= \sqrt{34} \approx 5.83$

d Distance between $(6, 4)$ and $(-7, 4)$

$= \sqrt{(6 - (-7))^2 + (4 - 4)^2}$

$= \sqrt{13^2 + 0^2}$

$= 13.00$

7 $A = (-3, -4), B = (1, 5), C = (7, -2)$

$AB = \sqrt{(1 - (-3))^2 + (5 - (-4))^2}$

$= \sqrt{4^2 + 9^2}$

$= \sqrt{97}$

$BC = \sqrt{(7 - 1)^2 + (-2 - 5)^2}$

$= \sqrt{6^2 + (-7)^2}$

$= \sqrt{85}$

$AC = \sqrt{(7 - (-3))^2 + (-2 - (-4))^2}$

$= \sqrt{10^2 + 2^2}$

$= \sqrt{104}$

$P = \sqrt{97} + \sqrt{85} + \sqrt{104} \approx 29.27$

8 $A(6, 6), B(10, 2), C(-1, 5), D(-7, 1)$

For P : $x = \frac{1}{2}(6 + 10) = 8$

$y = \frac{1}{2}(6 + 2) = 4$

P is at $(8, 4)$.

For M : $x = \frac{1}{2}(-1 + -7) = -4$

$y = \frac{1}{2}(5 + 1) = 3$

M is at $(-4, 3)$.

$\therefore PM = \sqrt{(-4 - 8)^2 + (3 - 4)^2}$

$= \sqrt{(-12)^2 + (-1)^2}$

$= \sqrt{145} \approx 12.04$

9 $DM = \sqrt{(-6 - 0)^2 + (1 - 6)^2}$

$= \sqrt{(-6)^2 + (-5)^2}$

$= \sqrt{61}$

$DN = \sqrt{(3 - 0)^2 + (-1 - 6)^2}$

$= \sqrt{3^2 + 7^2}$

$= \sqrt{58}$

DN is shorter.

Solutions to Exercise 2B

$$1 \text{ a } m = \frac{4-0}{0-(-1)} = 4$$

$$\text{b } m = \frac{6-0}{3-0} = 2$$

$$\text{c } m = \frac{1-0}{4-0} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{d } m = \frac{4-0}{0-1} = -4$$

$$\text{e } m = \frac{3-0}{3-0} = 1$$

$$\text{f } m = \frac{3-0}{-3-0} = -1$$

$$\text{g } m = \frac{10-0}{6-(-2)} = \frac{5}{4}$$

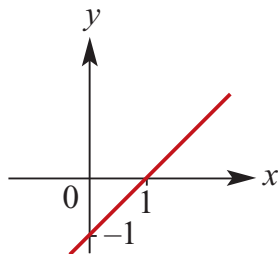
$$\text{h } m = \frac{8-2}{0-3} = \frac{6}{-3} = -2$$

$$\text{i } m = \frac{5-0}{0-4} = \frac{5}{-4} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{j } m = \frac{4-0}{0-(-3)} = \frac{4}{3}$$

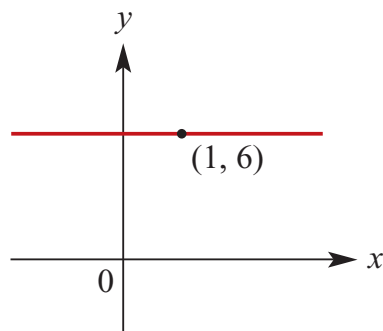
$$\text{k } \text{Rise} = \text{zero so } m = 0$$

2 Line with gradient 1:



$$3 \text{ } m = 0 \text{ so } y = mx + c \text{ means } y = c.$$

Here $c = 6$:



$$4 \text{ a } m = \frac{4-3}{2-6} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{b } m = \frac{-6-4}{1-(-3)} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{c } m = \frac{-3-7}{11-6} = -2$$

$$\text{d } m = \frac{0-8}{6-5} = -8$$

$$\text{e } \text{Rise} = \text{zero so } m = 0$$

$$\text{f } m = \frac{0-(-6)}{-6-0} = -1$$

$$\text{g } m = \frac{16-9}{4-3} = 7$$

$$\text{h } m = \frac{36-25}{6-5} = 11$$

$$\text{i } m = \frac{64-25}{-8-(-5)} = \frac{39}{-3} = -13$$

$$\text{j } m = \frac{100-1}{10-1} = \frac{99}{9} = 11$$

$$\text{k } m = \frac{1000-1}{10-1} = \frac{999}{9} = 111$$

$$\text{l } m = \frac{64-125}{4-5} = \frac{-61}{-1} = 61$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5 \text{ a } m &= \frac{6a - 2a}{3a - 5a} \\ &= \frac{4a}{-2a} = -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b } m &= \frac{2b - 2a}{5b - 5a} \\ &= \frac{2(b - a)}{5(b - a)} = \frac{2}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6 \text{ a } m &= \frac{a - 6}{7 - (-1)} \\ &= \frac{a - 6}{8} = 6 \\ a - 6 &= 48, \therefore a = 54 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b } m &= \frac{7 - 6}{b - 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{b - 1} = -6 \\ 1 &= 6(1 - b) = 6 - 6b \\ 6b &= 5, \therefore b = \frac{5}{6} \end{aligned}$$

7 We only need positive angles, so negative ones have 180° added.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a } (0, 3), (-3, 0); m &= \frac{0 - (-3)}{3 - 0} = 1 \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}(1) = 45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b } (0, -4), (4, 0); m &= \frac{0 - (-4)}{4 - 0} = 1 \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}(1) = 45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c } (0, 2), (-4, 0); m &= \frac{0 - 2}{-4 - 0} = \frac{1}{2} \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 26.57^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d } (0, -5), (-5, 0); m &= \frac{0 - (-5)}{-5 - 0} = -1 \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}(-1) + 180^\circ = 135^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 8 \text{ a } (-4, -2), (6, 8); m &= \frac{8 - (-2)}{6 - (-4)} = 1 \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}(1) = 45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b } (2, 6), (-2, 4); m &= \frac{4 - 6}{-2 - 2} = \frac{1}{2} \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 26.57^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c } (-3, 4), (6, 1); m &= \frac{1 - 4}{6 - (-3)} = -\frac{1}{3} \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) = 161.57^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d } (-4, -3), (2, 4); m &= \frac{4 - (-3)}{2 - (-4)} = \frac{7}{6} \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{7}{6}\right) = 49.4^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e } (3b, a), (3a, b); m &= \frac{b - a}{3a - 3b} \\ &= (b - a)\left(\frac{1}{-3}\right) = -\frac{1}{3} \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) = 161.57^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f } (c, b), (b, c); m &= \frac{c - b}{b - c} = -1 \\ \text{Angle} &= \tan^{-1}(-1) + 180^\circ = 135^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$9 \text{ a } \tan 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\text{b } \tan 135^\circ = -1$$

$$\text{c } \tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{d } \tan 120^\circ = -\sqrt{3}$$

Solutions to Exercise 2C

1 a $m = 3, c = 6$

b $m = -6, c = 7$

c $m = 3, c = -6$

d $m = -1, c = -4$

2 a $y = mx + c; m = 3, c = 5$
so $y = 3x + 5$

b $y = mx + c; m = -4, c = 6$
so $y = -4x + 6$

c $y = mx + c; m = 3, c = -4$
so $y = 3x - 4$

3 a $y = 3x - 6$; Gradient = 3; y-axis
intercept = -6

b $y = 2x - 4$; Gradient = 2; y-axis
intercept = -4

c $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 2$; Gradient = $\frac{1}{2}$; y-axis
intercept = -2

d $y = \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{5}{3}$; Gradient = $\frac{1}{3}$; y-axis
intercept = $-\frac{5}{3}$

4 a $2x - y = 9$

$-y = -2x + 9$

$y = 2x - 9, \therefore m = 2, c = -9$

b $3x + 4y = 10$

$4y = -3x + 10$

$y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{5}{2}, \therefore m = -\frac{3}{4}, c = \frac{5}{2}$

c

$-x - 3y = 6$

$-3y = x + 6$

$y = -\frac{1}{3}x - 2, \therefore m = -\frac{1}{3}, c = -2$

d $5x - 2y = 4$

$-2y = -5x + 4$

$y = \frac{5}{2}x - 2, \therefore m = \frac{5}{2}, c = -2$

5 a The equation is of the form

$y = 3x + c;$

When $x = 6, y = 7$

$\therefore 7 = 3 \times 6 + c$

$\therefore c = -11$

The equation is $y = 3x - 11$

b The equation is of the form

$y = -2x + c;$

When $x = 1, y = 7$

$\therefore 7 = -2 \times 1 + c$

$\therefore c = 9$

The equation is $y = -2x + 9$

6 a $(-1, 4), (2, 3)$

$m = \frac{3-4}{2-(-1)} = -\frac{1}{3}$

Using $(2, 3): y = -\frac{1}{3}x + c = 3$

$c = \frac{11}{3}$

$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{11}{3}$

$3y = -x + 11$

$$\therefore x + 3y = 11$$

b $(0, 4), (5, -3)$
 $m = \frac{-3 - 4}{5 - 0} = -\frac{7}{5}$
 Using $(0, 4)$: $y = c = 4$
 $\therefore y = -\frac{7}{5}x + 4$
 $5y = -7x + 20$
 $\therefore 7x + 5y = 20$

c $(3, -2), (4, -4)$
 $\therefore m = \frac{-4 - (-2)}{4 - 3} = -2$
 Using $(3, -2)$: $y = -2 \times 3 + c = -2$
 $c = 4$
 $\therefore y = -2x + 4$
 $\therefore 2x + y = 4$

d $(5, -2), (8, 9)$
 $\therefore m = \frac{9 - (-2)}{8 - 5} = \frac{11}{3}$
 Using $(5, -2)$: $y = \frac{11}{3} \times 5 + c = -2$
 $c + \frac{55}{3} = -2$
 $c = -\frac{61}{3}$
 $\therefore y = \frac{11}{3}x - \frac{61}{3}$
 $3y = 11x - 61$
 $\therefore -11x + 3y = -61$

- 7 a** The line passes through the point $(0, 6)$ and $(1, 8)$.

$$\text{Therefore gradient} = \frac{8 - 6}{1 - 0} = 2$$

- b** The equation is $y = 2x + 6$

- 8 a** The equation is of the form $y = 2x + c$;
 When $x = 1, y = 6$

$$\therefore 6 = 2 \times 1 + c$$

$$\therefore c = 4$$

$$\text{The equation is } y = 2x + 4$$

- b** The equation is of the form $y = -2x + c$;
 When $x = 1, y = 6$
 $\therefore 6 = -2 \times 1 + c$
 $\therefore c = 8$
 The equation is $y = -2x + 8$

- 9 a** The equation is of the form $y = 2x + c$;
 When $x = -1, y = 4$
 $\therefore 4 = 2 \times (-1) + c$
 $\therefore c = 6$
 The equation is $y = 2x + 6$

- b** The equation is of the form $y = -2x + c$;
 When $x = 0, y = 4$
 $\therefore c = 4$
 The equation is $y = -2x + 4$

- c** The equation is of the form $y = -5x + c$;
 When $x = 3, y = 0$
 $\therefore 0 = -5 \times 3 + c$
 $\therefore c = 15$
 The equation is $y = -5x + 15$

- 10 a** $y = mx + c; m = \frac{0 - 4}{6 - 0} = -\frac{2}{3}$
 Using $(0, 4)$, $c = 4$
 $y = -\frac{2x}{3} + 4$

- b** $y = mx + c; m = \frac{-6 - 0}{0 - (-3)} = -\frac{6}{3} = -2$
 Using $(0, -6)$, $c = -6$
 $y = -2x - 6$

c $y = mx + c; m = \frac{0-4}{4-0} = -\frac{4}{4} = -1$
 Using (0,4), $c = 4$
 $y = -x + 4$

d $y = mx + c; m = \frac{3-0}{0-2} = -\frac{3}{2}$
 Using (0,3):
 $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 3$

11 a Gradient $= \frac{6-4}{3-0} = \frac{2}{3}$
 Passes through (0, 4), $\therefore c = 4$
 Therefore equation is $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 4$

b Gradient $= \frac{2-0}{4-1} = \frac{2}{3}$
 When $x = 1, y = 0$
 $\therefore 0 = \frac{2}{3} \times 1 + c$
 $\therefore c = -\frac{2}{3}$
 Therefore equation is $y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{2}{3}$

c Gradient $= \frac{3-0}{3-(-3)} = \frac{1}{2}$
 When $x = -3, y = 0$
 $\therefore 0 = \frac{1}{2} \times (-3) + c$
 $\therefore c = \frac{3}{2}$
 Therefore equation is $y = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}$

d Gradient $= \frac{0-3}{4-(-2)} = -\frac{1}{2}$
 When $x = 4, y = 0$
 $\therefore 0 = -\frac{1}{2} \times 4 + c$
 $\therefore c = 2$
 Therefore equation is $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$

e Gradient $= \frac{8-2}{4.5-(-1.5)} = 1$
 When $x = -1.5, y = 2$
 $\therefore 2 = 1 \times (-1.5) + c$

$\therefore c = 3.5$
 Therefore equation is $y = x + 3.5$

f Gradient $= \frac{-2-1.75}{4.5-(-3)} = -0.5$
 When $x = -3, y = 1.75$
 $\therefore 1.75 = -0.5 \times (-3) + 0.25$
 $\therefore c = 0.25$
 Therefore equation is
 $y = -0.5x + 0.25$

12 a Axis intercepts: (0,4) and (-1, 0)
 $m = \frac{4-0}{0-(-1)} = 4,$
 $c = 4$ so $y = 4x + 4$

b Specified points: (-3, 2) and (0,0)
 $m = \frac{2-0}{-3-0} = -\frac{2}{3}$
 $c = 0$ so $y = -\frac{2x}{3}$

c Axis intercepts: (-2, 0) and (0, -2)
 $m = \frac{0-(-2)}{-2-0} = 1$
 $c = -2$ so $y = -x - 2$

d Axis intercepts: (2,0) and (0, -1)
 $m = \frac{0-(-1)}{2-0} = \frac{1}{2},$
 $c = -1$ so $y = \frac{x}{2} - 1$

e $m = 0, c = 3.5$ so $y = 3.5$

f m undefined. Vertical line is $x = k$
 so $x = -2$

13 P and Q are on the line $y = mx + c$;
 $m = \frac{1-(-3)}{2-1} = 4$
 Using Q at (2,1):
 $y = 4 \times 2 + c = 1$ so $c = -7$
 Line PQ has equation $y = 4x - 7$
 Q and R are on the line $y = ax + b$:

$$a = \frac{3-1}{2.5-2} = \frac{2}{0.5} = 4$$

Using Q at $(2, 1)$:

$$y = 4 \times 2 + b = 1 \text{ so } b = -7$$

Line QR also has equation $y = 4x - 7$

P, Q and R are collinear.

c $x + y = 0$

Passes through $(0,0)$ because $c = 0$

d $x - y = 1$

Does not pass through $(0,0)$ because

$y = x + 1$ has $c = 1$

14 a $y + x = 1$

Does not pass through $(0,0)$ because

$y = 1 - x$ has $c = 1$

b $y + 2x = 2(x + 1)$

Does not pass through $(0,0)$: this

equation simplifies to $y = 2$, so y is never 0.

15 a $x = 4$

b $y = 11$

c $x = 11$

d $y = -1$

Solutions to Exercise 2D

1 a $x + y = 4$

If $x = 0$, $y = 4$; if $y = 0$, $x = 4$

Axis intercepts are at $(0, 4)$ and $(4, 0)$

b $x - y = 4$

If $x = 0$, $y = -4$; if $y = 0$, $x = 4$

Axis intercepts are at $(0, -4)$ and $(4, 0)$

c $-x - y = 6$

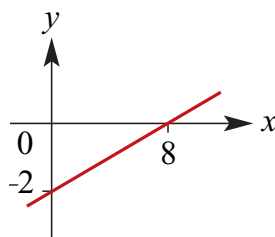
If $x = 0$, $y = -6$; if $y = 0$, $x = -6$

Axis intercepts are at $(0, -6)$ and $(-6, 0)$

d $y - x = 8$

If $x = 0$, $y = 8$; if $y = 0$, $x = -8$

Axis intercepts are at $(0, 8)$ and $(-8, 0)$



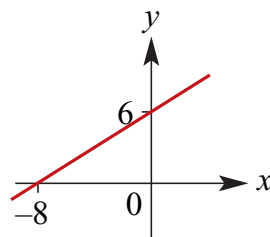
c $-3x + 4y = 24$

If $x = 0$, $4y = 24$

$$\therefore y = \frac{24}{4} = 6$$

If $y = 0$, $-3x = 24$

$$\therefore x = \frac{24}{-3} = -8$$



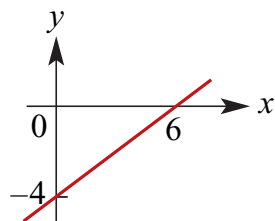
2 a $2x - 3y = 12$

If $x = 0$, $-3y = 12$

$$\therefore y = \frac{12}{-3} = -4$$

If $y = 0$, $2x = 12$

$$\therefore x = \frac{12}{2} = 6$$



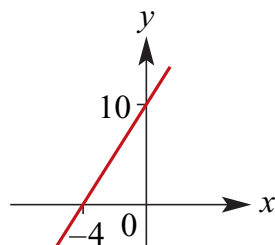
d $-5x + 2y = 20$

If $x = 0$, $2y = 20$

$$\therefore y = \frac{20}{2} = 10$$

If $y = 0$, $-5x = 20$

$$\therefore x = \frac{20}{-5} = -4$$



b $x - 4y = 8$:

If $x = 0$, $-4y = 8$

$$\therefore y = \frac{8}{-4} = -2$$

If $y = 0$, $x = 8$

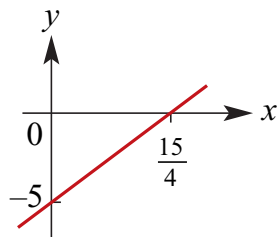
e $4x - 3y = 15$

If $x = 0$, $-3y = 15$

$$\therefore y = \frac{15}{-3} = -5$$

If $y = 0$, $4x = 15$

$$\therefore x = \frac{15}{4} = 3.75$$



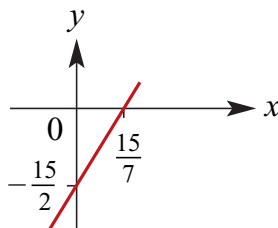
f $7x - 2y = 15$

If $x = 0$, $-2y = 15$

$\therefore y = \frac{15}{-2} = -7.5$

If $y = 0$, $7x = 15$

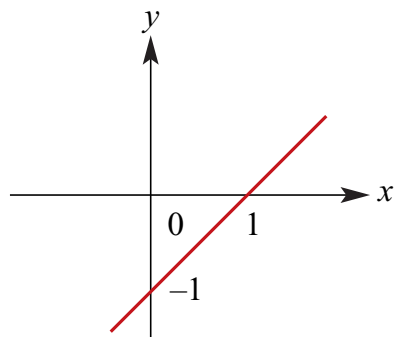
$\therefore x = \frac{15}{7}$



3 a $y = x - 1$

If $x = 0$, $y = -1$; if $y = 0$, $x = 1$

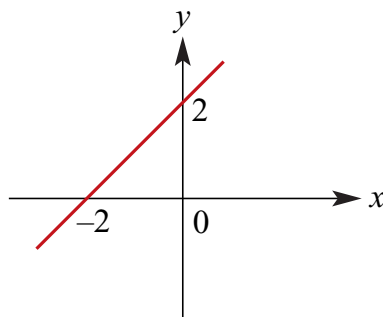
Intercepts at $(0, -1)$ and $(1, 0)$



b $y = x + 2$

If $x = 0$, $y = 2$; if $y = 0$, $x = -2$

Intercepts at $(0, 2)$ and $(-2, 0)$

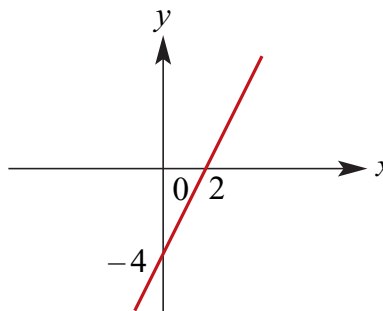


c $y = 2x - 4$

If $x = 0$, $y = -4$;

if $y = 0$, $2x - 4 = 0$, so $x = 2$

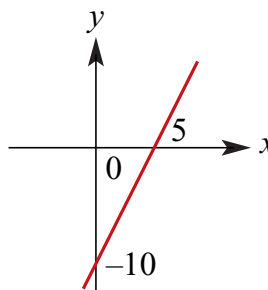
Intercepts at $(0, -4)$ and $(2, 0)$



4 a $y = 2x - 10$

If $x = 0$, $y = -10$ so $(0, -10)$

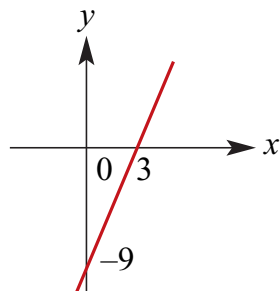
If $y = 0$, $2x = 10$, $x = 5$ so $(5, 0)$



b $y = 3x - 9$

If $x = 0$, $y = -9$ so $(0, -9)$

If $y = 0$, $3x = 9$, $x = 3$ so $(3, 0)$

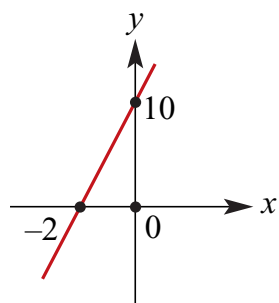


c $y = 5x + 10$

If $x = 0, y = 10$ so $(0, 10)$

If $y = 0, 5x + 10 = 0,$

so $5x = -10$ and $x = -2$ so $(-2, 0)$

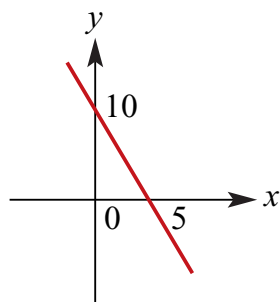


d $y = -2x + 10$

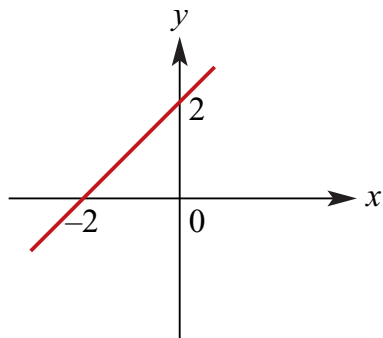
If $x = 0, y = 10$ so $(0, 10)$

If $y = 0, -2x + 10 = 0,$

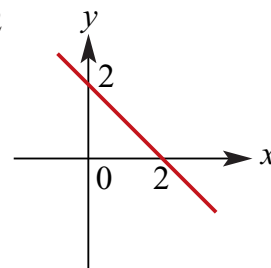
so $2x = 10$ and $x = 5$ so $(5, 0)$



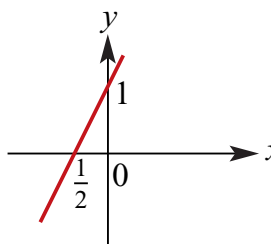
5 a $y = x + 2$



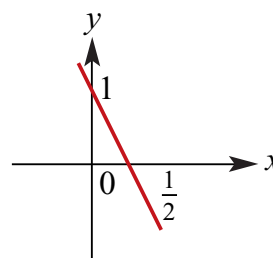
b $y = -x + 2$



c $y = 2x + 1$

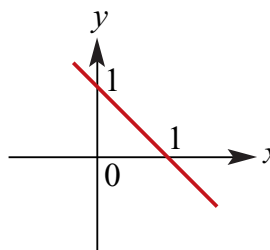


d $y = -2x + 1$



6 a $x + y = 1$

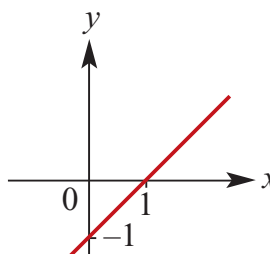
$\therefore y = -x + 1$



b $x - y = 1$

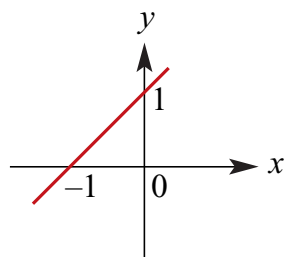
$x - 1 = y$

$\therefore y = x - 1$



c $y - x = 1$

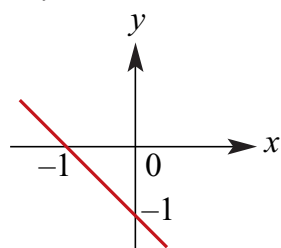
$$\therefore y = x + 1$$



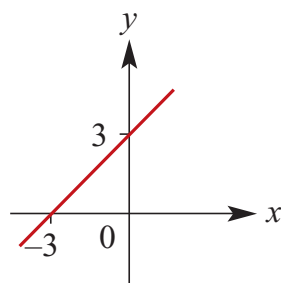
d $-x - y = 1$

$$-y = x + 1$$

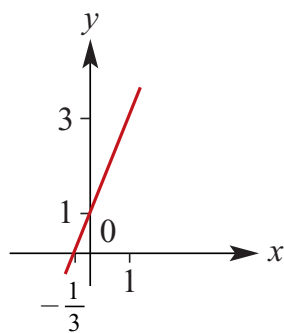
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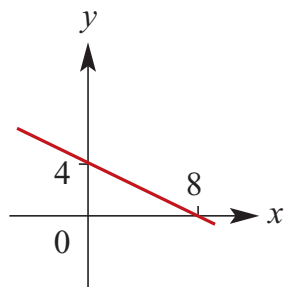
7 a $y = x + 3$



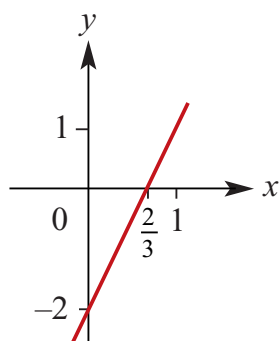
b $y = 3x + 1$



c $y = 4 - \frac{1}{2}x$



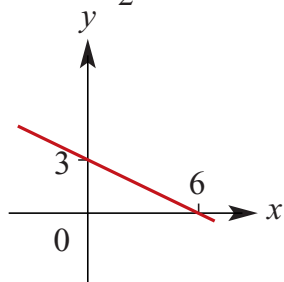
d $y = 3x - 2$



e $4y + 2x = 12$

$$4y = 12 - 2x$$

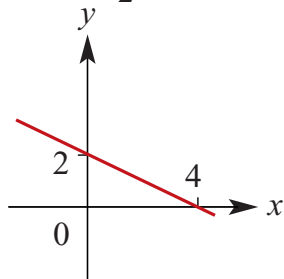
$$\therefore y = -\frac{x}{2} + 3$$



f $3x + 6y = 12$

$$6y = 12 - 3x$$

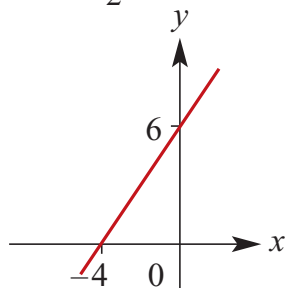
$$\therefore y = -\frac{x}{2} + 2$$



g $4y - 6x = 24$

$$4y = 24 + 6x$$

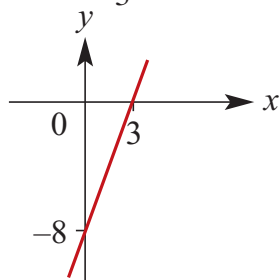
$$\therefore y = \frac{3x}{2} + 6$$



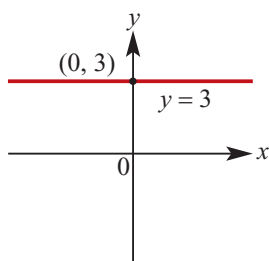
h $8x - 3y = 24$

$$-3y = 24 - 8x$$

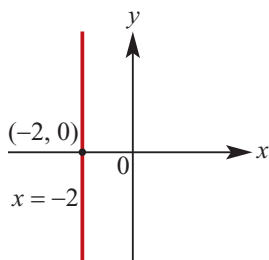
$$\therefore y = \frac{8x}{3} - 8$$



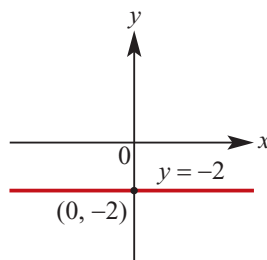
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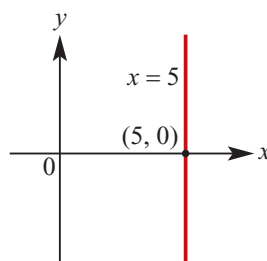
b



c



d



9 a $y = x$ so $m = 1; 45^\circ$

b $y = -x$ so $m = -1; 135^\circ$

c $y = x + 1$ so $m = 1; 45^\circ$

d $x + y = 1$
 $y = -x + 1$ so $m = -1; 135^\circ$

e $y = 2x$ so $m = 2$;
 $\tan^{-1}(2) = 63.43^\circ$

f $y = -2x; m = -2$;
 $\tan^{-1}(-2) + 180^\circ = 116.57^\circ$

10 a $y = 3x + 2; m = 3$
 $\tan^{-1}(3) = 71.57^\circ$

b $2y = -2x + 1$
 $\therefore y = -x + \frac{1}{2}; m = -1$
 $\tan^{-1}(-1) = 135^\circ$

c $2y - 2x = 6$
 $y - x = 3$
 $\therefore y = x + 3; m = 1$
 $\tan^{-1}(1) = 45^\circ$

d $3y + x = 7$

$$3y = -x + 7$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{x}{3} + \frac{7}{3}; m = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + 180^\circ = 161.57^\circ$$

$$(0, a): a = -4$$

$$(b, 0): 0 = 3b - 4$$

$$3b = 4, \therefore b = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$(1, d): d = 3 - 4 = -1$$

$$(e, 10): 10 = 3e - 4$$

11 A straight line has equation $y = 3x - 4$

$$3e = 14, \therefore e = \frac{14}{3}$$

Solutions to Exercise 2E

1 a Gradient = 2

Equation is of the form $y = 2x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = 2 \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = -10$$

The equation is $y = 2x - 10$

b Gradient = $-\frac{1}{2}$

Equation is of the form $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = -\frac{1}{2} \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = 0$$

The equation is $y = -\frac{1}{2}x$

c Gradient = $-\frac{1}{2}$

Equation is of the form $y = -2x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = -2 \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = 6$$

The equation is $y = -2x + 6$

d Gradient = $-\frac{1}{2}$

Equation is of the form $y = \frac{1}{2}x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = -4$$

The equation is $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$

e $2x - 3y = 4$

$$-3y = -2x + 4$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{4}{3}$$

So the gradient we want is $\frac{2}{3}$.

Using the point $(4, -2)$:

$$y - (-2) = \frac{2}{3}(x - 4)$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}(x - 4) - 2$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{8}{3} - 2$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{14}{3}$$

$$3y = 2x - 14$$

$$\therefore 2x - 3y = 14$$

f $2x - 3y = 4$

$$\therefore 3y = 2x - 4$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{4}{3}$$

Gradient = $-\frac{3}{2}$

Equation is of the form $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = -\frac{3}{2} \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = 4$$

The equation is $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 4$

g $x + 3y = 5$

$$\therefore 3y = -x + 5$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{5}{3}$$

Gradient = $-\frac{1}{3}$

Equation is of the form $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = -\frac{1}{3} \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = -\frac{2}{3}$$

The equation is $y = -\frac{1}{3}x - \frac{2}{3}$

h $x + 3y = -4$

$$\therefore 3y = -x - 4$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{3}x - \frac{4}{3}$$

Gradient = $\frac{4}{3}$

Equation is of the form $y = 3x + c$

When $x = 4, y = -2$

$$\therefore -2 = 3 \times 4 + c$$

$$\therefore c = -14$$

The equation is $y = 3x - 14$

2 a $2y = 6x + 4; y = 3x + 4$

Parallel: $m = 3$ for both

b $x = 4 - y; 2x + 2y = 6$

Parallel: $m = -1$ for both

c $3y - 2x = 12; y + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}x$

Parallel: $m = \frac{2}{3}$ for both

d $4y - 3x = 4; 3y = 4x - 3$

Not parallel:

$$4y - 3x = 4$$

$$4y = 3x + 4$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{3x}{4} + 1$$

$$3y = 4x - 3$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{4x}{3} - 1$$

3 a $y = 4$ (The y -coordinate)

b $x = 2$ (The x -coordinate)

c $y = 4$ (The y -coordinate)

d $x = 3$ (The x -coordinate)

4 Gradient of $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 6$ is $-\frac{1}{2}$.

So perpendicular gradient is

$$-1 \div -\frac{1}{2} = 2$$

Using the point (1,4):

$$y - 4 = 2(x - 1)$$

$$y = 2(x - 1) + 4$$

$$\therefore y = 2x + 2$$

5 $A(1, 5)$ and $B(-3, 7)$

Midpoint

$$M\left(\frac{1 + (-3)}{2}, \frac{5 + 7}{2}\right) = M(-1, 6)$$

$$\text{Gradient } AB = \frac{7 - 5}{-3 - 1} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

\therefore gradient of line perpendicular to

$AB = 2$. The equation of the line is of the form $y = 2x + c$

When $x = -1, y = 6$

$$\therefore 6 = 2 \times (-1) + c$$

$$\therefore c = 8$$

Equation of line is $y = 2x + 8$

6 Gradient of $AB = \frac{-3 - 2}{2 - 5} = \frac{5}{3}$

$$\text{Gradient of } BC = \frac{3 - (-3)}{-8 - 2} = -\frac{3}{5}$$

Product of these gradients

$$= -\frac{3}{5} \times \frac{5}{3} = -1$$

AB and BC are perpendicular, so ABC is a right-angled triangle.

7 $A(3, 7), B(6, 1), C(-8, 3)$

$$\text{Gradient } AB = \frac{7 - 1}{3 - 6} = -2$$

$$\text{Gradient } BC = \frac{8 - 1}{20 - 6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore AB \perp BC$$

8 Gradient of $RS = \frac{4 - 6}{6 - 2} = -\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Gradient of } ST = \frac{-4 - 4}{2 - 6} = 2$$

Product of these gradients = -1 , so RS

and ST are perpendicular.

$$\text{Gradient of } TU = \frac{-2 - (-4)}{-2 - 2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Gradient of } UR = \frac{6 - (-2)}{2 - (-2)} = 2$$

Similarly, TU and UR are perpendicular, as are ST and TU , and RS and UR .

So $RSTU$ must be a rectangle.

9 $4x - 3y = 10$

$$-3y = 10 - 4x$$

$$3y = 4x - 10$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{10}{3}$$

$$\text{Gradient} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$4x - ly = m$$

$$-ly = m - 4x$$

$$ly = 4x - m$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{4}{l}x - \frac{m}{l}$$

$$\text{Gradient} = \frac{4}{l}$$

These lines are perpendicular, so their gradients multiplied equal -1 :

$$\frac{4}{3} \times \frac{4}{l} = -1$$

$$\frac{16}{3} = -l$$

$$\therefore l = -\frac{16}{3}$$

At intersection $(4, 2)$ the y and x values are equal. From $4x - ly = m$:

$$\begin{aligned} m &= 16 - 2\left(-\frac{16}{3}\right) \\ &= 16 + \frac{32}{3} = \frac{80}{3} \end{aligned}$$

- 10 a** The line perpendicular to AB through B has gradient $-\frac{1}{2}$ and passes through $(-1, 6)$.

The equation of this line is

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{11}{2}.$$

- b** Intersects AB when $2x + 3 = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{11}{2}$.
 $\therefore x = 1, y = 5$ are the coordinates of point B .

- c** The coordinates of A and B are $(0, 3)$ and $(1, 5)$ respectively.
 \therefore the coordinates of C are $(2, 7)$.

Solutions to Exercise 2F

- 1 The point (2, 7) is on the line $y = mx - 3$.

$$\text{Hence } 7 = 2m - 3$$

$$\text{That is, } m = 5$$

- 2 The point (3, 11) is on the line

$$y = 2x + c.$$

$$\text{Hence } 11 = 2 \times 3 + c \text{ That is, } c = 5$$

- 3 a Gradient of line perpendicular to the line $y = mx + 3$ is $-\frac{1}{m}$ The y-intercept is 3.

The equation of the second line is

$$y = -\frac{x}{m} + 3.$$

- b If (1, -4) is on the line, $-4 = -\frac{1}{m} + 3$.

$$\text{Hence } -\frac{1}{m} = -7.$$

$$\text{That is, } m = \frac{1}{7}$$

- 4 $8 = m \times 3 + 2$

$$m = 2$$

- 5 $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x) = mx - 3, m \in R/\{0\}$

- a x-axis intercept: $mx - 3 = 0, \therefore x = \frac{3}{m}$

- b $6 = 5m - 3$

$$5m = 9$$

$$m = \frac{9}{5}$$

- c x-axis intercept ≤ 1 for $\frac{3}{m} \leq 1$,
 $\therefore m \geq 3$

- d $y = f(x)$ has gradient = m , so a

perpendicular line has gradient

$$= -\frac{1}{m}.$$

Using the straight line formula for the point (0, -3):

$$y - (-3) = -\frac{1}{m}(x - 0)$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{m}x - 3$$

$$\text{OR } my + x = -3m$$

- 6 $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x) = 2x + c$, where $c \in R$

- a x-axis intercept: $2x + c = 0, \therefore x = -\frac{c}{2}$

- b $6 = 5 \times 2 + c$

$$c = -4$$

- c $-\frac{c}{2} \leq 1$
 $c \geq -2$

- d $y = f(x)$ has gradient = 2, so a

perpendicular line has gradient = $-\frac{1}{2}$.

Using the straight line formula for the point (0, c):

$$y - c = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 0)$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{2}x + c$$

- 7 $\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{12} = 4$

- a When $y = 0, \frac{x}{a} = 4, \therefore x = 4a$

The coordinates of the x-axis intercept are (4a, 0).

- b Rearranging to make y the subject.

$$y = \frac{12x}{a} - 48$$

The gradient of the line is $\frac{12}{a}$

- c i** When the gradient is

$$2, \frac{12}{a} = 2, \therefore a = 6$$

- ii** When the gradient is

$$-2, \frac{12}{a} = -2, \therefore a = -6$$

8 a When $y = 0, x = \frac{c}{2}$

b $y = -2x + c$. When $x = 1, y = 7$

$$\therefore 7 = -2 + c$$

$$\therefore c = 9.$$

c $\frac{c}{2} \leq 1 \Leftrightarrow c \leq 2$

d Line perpendicular to $y = -2x + c$ has gradient $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Therefore } y = \frac{1}{2}x + c$$

e $A(\frac{c}{2}, 0)$ and $B(0, c)$

- i** The midpoint of line segment AB

$$\text{has coordinates } \left(\frac{c}{4}, \frac{c}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{If } \left(\frac{c}{4}, \frac{c}{2}\right) = (3, 6) \text{ then } c = 12$$

- ii** The area of the triangle

$$AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times c \times \frac{c}{2} = \frac{c^2}{4}$$

$$\text{If the area is 4, } \frac{c^2}{4} = 4 \text{ which implies } c^2 = 16. \text{ Therefore } c = 4 \text{ since } c > 0$$

iii $OM = \sqrt{\left(\frac{c}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{c}{2}\right)^2}$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{5c^2}{16}}$$

$$\text{If } OM = 2\sqrt{5} \text{ then } \sqrt{\frac{5c^2}{16}} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore c = 8$$

9 $3x + by = 12$

a $3x + by = 12$

$$by = -3x + 12$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{b}x + \frac{12}{b}$$

$$\therefore \text{y-axis intercept is } \frac{12}{b}.$$

b $\therefore \text{gradient} = -\frac{3}{b}$

c i $-\frac{3}{b} = 1$

$$b = -3$$

ii $-\frac{3}{b} = -2$

$$b = \frac{3}{2}$$

d Gradient of perpendicular line is $\frac{b}{3}$

$$\text{The line is of the form } y = \frac{b}{3}x + c$$

$$\text{When } x = 4, y = 0$$

$$0 = \frac{b}{3} \times 4 + c$$

$$c = -\frac{4b}{3}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{b}{3}x - \frac{4b}{3} \text{ or } 3y = bx - 4b$$

Solutions to Exercise 2G

- 1 At $n = 0$, $w = \$350$, paid at $\$20$ per n

$$\therefore w = 20n + 350; n \in N \cup \{0\}$$

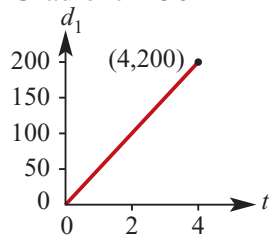
- 2 a At $t = 0$, $d_1 = 0$ and $v = 50$ km/h

$$\therefore d_1 = vt = 50t$$

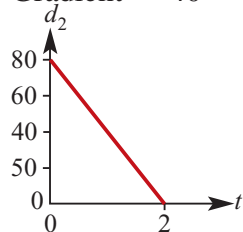
- b At $t = 0$, $d_2 = 80$ and $v = -40$ km/h

$$\therefore d_2 = 80 - 40t$$

- c Gradient = 50



Gradient = -40



- 3 a At $t = 0$, $V = 0$, fills at 5 L/min

$$\therefore V = 5t$$

- b At $t = 0$, $V = 10$, fills at 5L/min

$$\therefore V = 5t + 10$$

- 4 a At $t = 0$, $v = 500$, empties at 2.5 L/min

$$\therefore v = -2.5t + 500$$

- b Since the bag is emptying, $v \leq 500$

The bag cannot contain a negative volume so $v \geq 0$

$$\therefore 0 \leq v \leq 500$$

The bag does not go back in time so $t \geq 0$

The bag empties when

$$-2.5t + 500 = 0$$

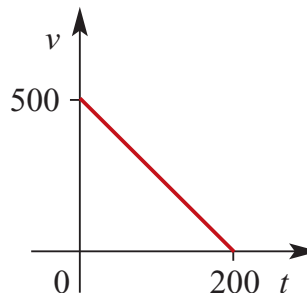
$$2.5t = 500$$

$$t = 200$$

After that the function no longer holds true,

$$\therefore 0 \leq t \leq 200$$

c



- 5 At $n = 0$, $C = 2.6$, C per km = 1.5

$$\therefore C = 1.5n + 2.6$$

- 6 a At $x = 0$, $C = 85$, C per km = 0.24

$$\therefore C = 0.24x + 85$$

- b When $x = 250$,

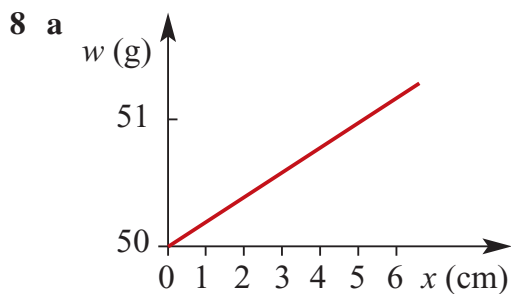
$$C = 0.24(250) + 85$$

$$= 60 + 85 = \$145$$

- 7 At $t = 0$, $d = 200$ km,

$v = -5$ km/h from B

$$\therefore d = -5t + 200$$



b $w = 50 + 0.2x$

c If $w = 52.5$ g,
 $x = 5 \times (52.5 - 50)$
 $= 5 \times 2.5 = 12.5$ cm

9 a $C = an + b$
 If $n = 800$, $C = 47$; if
 $n = 600$, $C = 35$
 $800a + b = 47$
 $600a + b = 35$
 $\hline 200a = 12$
 $\therefore a = \frac{12}{200} = \frac{3}{50} = 0.06$
 Substitute into 2nd equation:

$$600 \times \frac{3}{50} + b = 35$$

$$36 + b = 35$$

$$b = -1$$

$$\therefore C = 0.06n - 1$$

b If $n = 1000$,
 $c = 0.06(1000) - 1$
 $= 60 - 1 = \$59$

10 a $C = an + b$
 If $n = 160$, $C = 975$; if

$$n = 120, C = 775$$

$$160a + b = 975$$

$$120a + b = 775$$

$$\hline 40a = 200$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{200}{40} = 5$$

Substitute into 2nd equation:

$$600 + b = 775$$

$$b = 175$$

$$\therefore C = 5n + 175$$

b Yes, because $b \neq 0$

c When $n = 0$, $C = \$175$

Solutions to Exercise 2H

- 1 The lines $x + y = 6$ and $2x + 2y = 13$ both have gradient -1 but different y -intercepts.

- 2 Let $x = \lambda$. Then solution is $\{(\lambda, 6 - \lambda) : \lambda \in \mathbb{R}\}$

- 3 a $m = 4$. The line $y = 4x + 6$ is parallel to the line $y = 4x - 5$

b $m \neq 4$

c $15 = 5m + 6$
 $\therefore m = \frac{9}{5}$
 Check: $(5, 15)$ lies on the line $y = 4x - 5$

- 4 $6 = 4 + k$ and $6 = 2m - 4$
 $\therefore k = 2$ and $m = 5$

5 $2(m - 2) + 8 = 4 \dots (1)$
 $2m + 24 = k \dots (2)$

From (1) $2m - 4 + 8 = 4$

$$m = 0$$

From (2) $k = 24$

- 6 The simultaneous equations have no solution when the corresponding lines have the same gradient and no point in common.

Gradient of $mx - y = 5$ is m .

Gradient of $3x + y = 6$ is -3 .

\therefore lines are parallel when $m = -3$

7

Gradient of $3x + my = 5$ is $-\frac{3}{m}$.

Gradient of $(m + 2)x + 5y = m$ is $-\frac{m + 2}{5}$.

If the gradients are equal

$$-\frac{3}{m} = -\frac{m + 2}{5}$$

$$15 = m^2 + 2m$$

$$m^2 + 2m - 15 = 0$$

$$(m + 5)(m - 3) = 0$$

$$m = -5 \text{ or } m = 3$$

- a When $m = -5$ the equations become

$$3x - 5y = 5$$

$$-3x + 5y = -5$$

They are equations of the same line.

There are infinitely many solutions.

- b When $m = 3$ the equations become

$$3x + 3y = 5$$

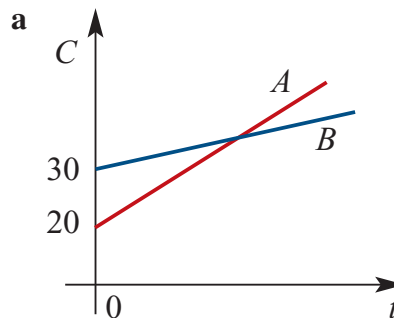
$$5x + 5y = 3$$

They are the equations of parallel lines with no common point.

No solutions

8 A: $C = 10t + 20$

B: $C = 8t + 30$



- b Costs are equal when

$$10t + 20 = 8t + 30$$

$$2t = 10, \therefore t = 5$$

9 Day 1:

John: $v = \frac{1}{a} \text{ m/s}$

Michael: $v = \frac{1}{b} \text{ m/s}$

$d = vt = 50 \text{ m}$, so Michael's time is:

$$t = 50 \frac{1}{v} = 50b$$

Similarly, John's time is:

$$t = 50 \frac{1}{v} = 50a$$

Michael wins by 1 second

$$\therefore 50a = 50b + 1$$

Day 2:

John runs only 47 m:

$$t = 47a$$

Michael runs the same time:

$$t = 50b$$

Michael wins by 0.1 seconds

$$\therefore 47a = 50b + 0.1$$

From day 1: $50b = 50a - 1$

$$\therefore 47a = 50a - 1 + 0.1$$

$$3a = 0.9, \therefore a = 0.3$$

$$50b = 50 \times 0.3 - 1 = 14$$

$$\therefore b = 0.28$$

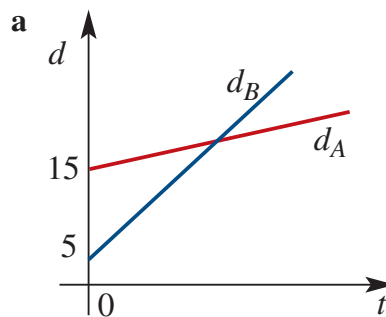
Michael's speed:

$$v = \frac{1}{b} = \frac{1}{0.28} = \frac{25}{7} \text{ m/s}$$

10 $d_A = 10t + 15$

$$d_B = 20t + 5$$

t is the time in hours after 1.00 p.m.



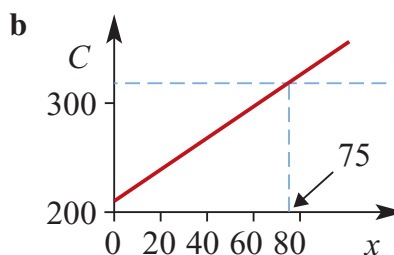
b $d_A = d_B$ when

$$20t + 5 = 10t + 15$$

$$10t = 10, \therefore t = 1$$

11 a A: $C = 1.6x + 210$

B: $C = 330$



c Costs are equal when

$$1.6x + 210 = 330$$

$$1.6x = 120$$

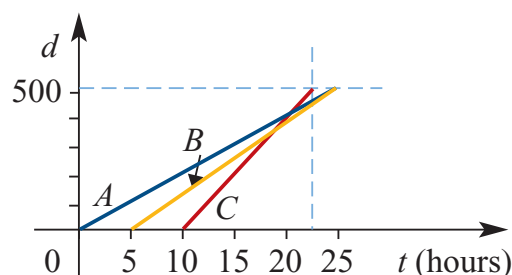
$$x = \frac{120}{1.6} = 75$$

When $x < 75$, method A is cheaper;

when $x > 75$, method B is cheaper.

So the fixed charge method is cheaper when $x > 75$.

12 a



b C wins the race

c $A(t) = 20t$

$$B(t) = 25(t - 5)$$

$$C(t) = 40(t - 10)$$

After 25 hours,

$$A(25) = 500$$

$$B(25) = 25(25 - 5) = 500$$

$$C(25) = 40(25 - 10) = 600$$

C completes the course in t hours

where:

$$40(t - 10) = 500$$

$$t - 10 = \frac{500}{40} = 12.5$$

$$t = 12.5 + 10 = 22.5$$

d C, leaving 5 hours after B, overtakes

B $13\frac{1}{2}$ hours after B had started and

then overtakes A 20 hours after A had started. C wins the race with a total handicap time of $22\frac{1}{2}$ hours

($12\frac{1}{2}$ hours for journey + 10 hours handicap) with A and B deadheating for 2nd, each with a total handicap time of 25 hours.

13 $y = -\frac{3}{4}x$ meets $y = \frac{3}{2}x - 12$ when

$$-\frac{3x}{4} = \frac{3x}{2} - 12$$

$$-3x = 6x - 48$$

$$9x = 48$$

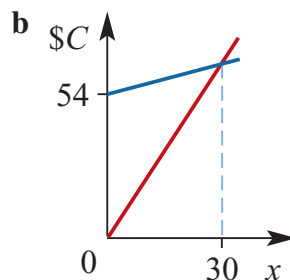
$$x = \frac{48}{9} = \frac{16}{3} = 5\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{16}{3} = -4$$

The paths cross at $\left(5\frac{1}{3}, -4\right)$

14 a Public transport: $\$C = 2.8x$

$$\text{Bus: } \$C = x + 54$$



c Costs are equal when $2.8x = x + 54$

$$1.8x = 54$$

$$x = 30$$

It is more economical if there are more than 30 students.

15 a Anne: when $t = 0, d = 0$;

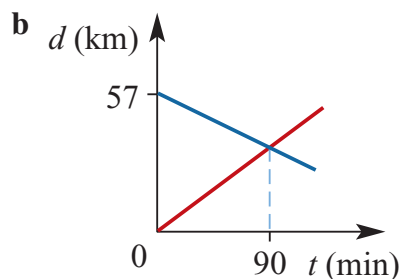
$$v = 20 \text{ km/h} = \frac{1}{3} \text{ km/min}$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{t}{3}$$

Maureen: when $t = 0, d = 57$;

$$v = -18 \text{ km/h} = -\frac{3}{10} \text{ km/min}$$

$$\therefore d = 57 - \frac{3}{10}t$$



c They meet when

$$\frac{t}{3} = 57 - \frac{3t}{10}$$

$$\frac{t}{3} + \frac{3t}{10} = 37$$

$$10t + 9t = 1710$$

$$19t = 1710$$

$$t = \frac{1710}{19} = 90$$

They meet after 90 min, i.e.
10.30 a.m.

d Substitute into either equation, but

Anne's is easier:

$$d = \frac{t}{3} = \frac{90}{3} = 30$$

Anne has traveled 30 km, so Maureen must have traveled $57 - 30 = 27$ km.

Solutions to Review: Short-answer questions

- 1 a $A(1, 2)$ and $B(5, 2)$: y does not change.

$$\text{Length } AB = 5 - 1 = 4$$

$$\text{Midpoint } x = \frac{1 + 5}{2} = 3$$

\therefore midpoint is at $(3, 2)$.

- b $A(-4, -2)$ and $B(3, -7)$

$$\text{Length } AB = \sqrt{(-4 - 3)^2 + (-2 - (-7))^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-7)^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{74}$$

$$\text{Midpoint } x = \frac{-4 + 3}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{-2 + (-7)}{2} = -\frac{9}{2}$$

\therefore midpoint is at $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{9}{2}\right)$.

- c $A(3, 4)$ and $B(7, 1)$

$$\text{Length } AB = \sqrt{(7 - 3)^2 + (1 - 4)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$\text{Midpoint } x = \frac{3 + 7}{2} = 5$$

$$y = \frac{4 + 1}{2} = \frac{5}{2}$$

\therefore midpoint is at $\left(5, \frac{5}{2}\right)$.

2 a $m = \frac{12 - 3}{8 - 4} = \frac{9}{4}$

b $m = \frac{-6 - 4}{8 - (-3)} = -\frac{10}{11}$

- c x does not change so gradient is undefined.

d $m = \frac{0 - a}{a - 0} = -1$

e $m = \frac{b - 0}{a - 0} = \frac{b}{a}$

f $m = \frac{0 - b}{a - 0} = -\frac{b}{a}$

- 3 If $m = 4$ then $y = 4x + c$

a Passing through $(0, 0)$; $y = 4x$

b Passing through $(0, 5)$; $y = 4x + 5$

c Passing through $(1, 6)$;

$$y = 4 + c = 6, \therefore c = 2$$

$$y = 4x + 2$$

d Passing through $(3, 7)$;

$$y = 12 + c = 7, \therefore c = -5$$

$$y = 4x - 5$$

4 a $y = 3x - 5$

Using $(1, a)$, $a = 3 - 5 = -2$

b $y = 3x - 5$

Using $(b, 15)$, $3b - 5 = 15$

$$3b = 20, \therefore b = \frac{20}{3}$$

5 $y = mx + c$; $m = \frac{-4 - 2}{3 - (-5)} = -\frac{3}{4}$

Using $(3, -4)$:

$$-4 = \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)3 + c$$

$$\frac{9}{4} - 4 = c = -\frac{7}{4}$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{4}x - \frac{7}{4}$$

$$4y = -3x - 7$$

$$\therefore 3x + 4y = -7$$

6 $y = mx + c$; $m = -\frac{2}{3}$

Using $(-4, 1)$:

$$y = -\frac{2}{3}(-4) + c = 1$$

$$\frac{8}{3} + c = 1 \therefore c = -\frac{5}{3}$$

$$y = -\frac{2}{3x} - \frac{5}{3}$$

$$3y = -2x - 5$$

$$\therefore 2x + 3y = -5$$

- 7 a** Lines parallel to the x -axis are $y = c$.
Using $(5, 11)$, $y = 11$

- b** Parallel to $y = 6x + 3$ so gradient
 $m = 6$
When $x = 0$, $y = -10$, so $c = -10$
 $y = 6x - 10$

c $3x - 2y + 5 = 0$

$$-2y = -3x - 5$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{5}{2}$$

$$m = \frac{3}{2} \text{ so perpendicular gradient}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Using } (0, 1), c = 1$$

$$y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 1$$

$$3y = -2x - 3$$

$$\therefore 2x + 3y = -3$$

8 $y = mx + c$

Line at 45° to x -axis

$$m = \tan(45^\circ) = 1$$

$$\text{Using } (2, 3): 3 = 1 \times 2 + c$$

$$\text{So } c = 1 \text{ and } y = x + 1$$

$$\therefore y = x + 1$$

9 $y = mx + c$:

Line at 135° to x -axis,

$$m = \tan 135^\circ = -1$$

$$\text{Using } (-2, 3): 3 = -1 \times -2 + c$$

$$\text{So } c = 1 \text{ and } y = -x + 1$$

$$\therefore x + y = 1$$

- 10** Gradient of a line perpendicular to

$$y = -3x + 2 \text{ is } \frac{1}{3}.$$

Therefore required line is of the form

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x + c.$$

$$\text{When } x = 4, y = 8$$

$$\therefore 8 = \frac{1}{3} \times 4 + c$$

$$\text{Hence } c = 8 - \frac{4}{3} = \frac{20}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{20}{3}$$

11 $y = 2x + 1$

$$\text{When } x = 0, y = 1. \therefore a = 1$$

$$\text{When } y = 0, 2x + 1 = 0. \therefore b = -\frac{1}{2}$$

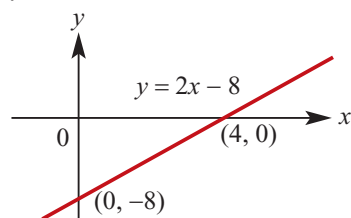
$$\text{When } x = 2, y = 5. \therefore d = 5$$

$$\text{When } y = 7, 2x + 1 = 7. \therefore e = 3$$

12 a $y = 2x - 8$

When $x = 0$, $y = -8$ and when

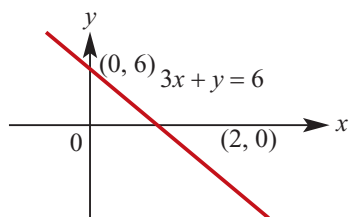
$$y = 0, x = 4$$



b $3x + y = 6$

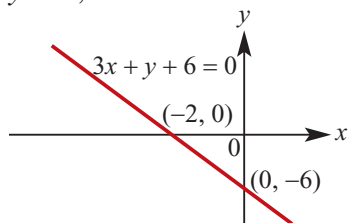
When $x = 0$, $y = 6$ and when

$$y = 0, x = 2$$



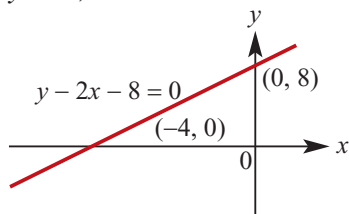
c $3x + y + 6 = 0$

When $x = 0, y = -6$ and when $y = 0, x = -2$



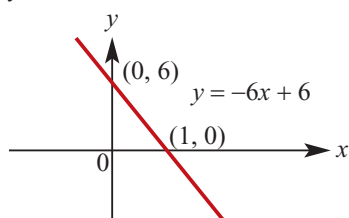
d $y - 2x - 8 = 0$

When $x = 0, y = 8$ and when $y = 0, x = -4$



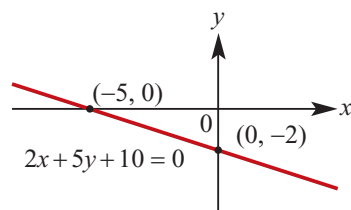
e $y = -6x + 6$

When $x = 0, y = 6$ and when $y = 0, x = 1$

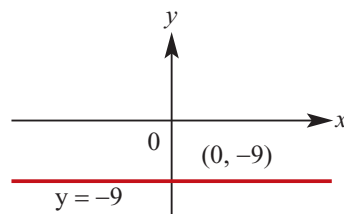


f $2x + 5y + 10 = 0$

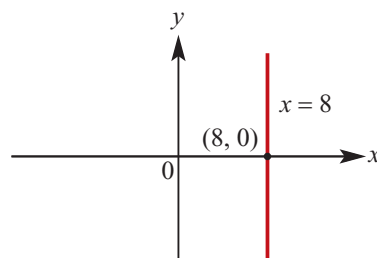
When $x = 0, y = -2$ and when $y = 0, x = -5$



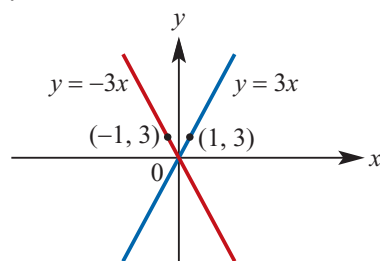
- 13 a** Line is of the form $y = c$.
 $\therefore y = -9$ is the equation



- b** Line is of the form $x = a$.
 $\therefore x = 8$ is the equation.



c i $y = 3x$



ii $y = -3x$

14 a $d = 60t$

b gradient is 60

15 $S = 800 + 500n$

16 a $y = ax + 2$

When $x = 2, y = 6$

$$\therefore 6 = 2a + 2$$

$$\therefore a = 2$$

The equation is $y = 2x + 2$

b i When $y = 0, ax + 2 = 0$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-2}{a}$$

ii

$$\frac{-2}{a} > 1$$

$$-2 < a$$

(Since $a < 0$)

$$\therefore 0 > a > -2$$

Equivalently $-2 < a < 0$

c $x + 3 = ax + 2$ Substitute in

$$x - ax = 2 - 3$$

$$x(1 - a) = -1$$

$$x = \frac{1}{a - 1}$$

$y = x + 3$ to find the y-coordinate.

$$y = \frac{1}{a - 1} + 3$$

$$y = \frac{3a - 2}{a - 1}$$

The coordinates of the point of intersection are $\left(\frac{1}{a - 1}, \frac{3a - 2}{a - 1}\right)$

Solutions to Review: Multiple-choice questions

1 D Midpoint $x = \frac{4+6}{2} = 5$
 Midpoint $y = \frac{12+2}{2} = 7$
 Midpt is at $(5, 7)$

2 E Midpoint x -coordinate
 $6 = \frac{-4+x}{2}, \therefore x = 16$
 Midpoint y -coordinate
 $3 = \frac{-6+y}{2}, \therefore y = 12$
 $\therefore x + y = 28$

3 A Gradient $= \frac{-10 - (-8)}{6 - 5} = -2$

4 E Gradient $= \frac{2a - (-3a)}{4a - 9a} = -1$

5 C $y = mx + c; m = 3$
 Using $(1, 9)$:
 $9 = 3 + c$ so $c = 6$
 $y = 3x + 6$

6 D $y = mx + c; m = \frac{-14 - (-6)}{-2 - 2} = 2$
 Using $(2, -6)$:
 $y = 4 + c = -6; c = -10$
 So $y = 2x - 10$

7 B $y = 2x - 6$
 Using $(a, 2)$:
 $y = 2a - 6 = 2, \therefore a = 4$

8 E Axis intercepts at $(1, 0)$ and $(0, -3)$:

$y = mx + c; c = -3$
 Using $(1, 0)$: $0 = m - 3$ so $m = 3$
 $y = 3x - 3$

9 C $5x - y + 7 = 0$
 $-y = -5x - 7$

$\therefore y = 5x + 7$
 Gradient $= 5$
 $ax + 2y - 11 = 0$

$2y = -ax + 11$

$\therefore y = -\frac{a}{2}x + \frac{11}{2}$
 Parallel lines mean gradients are equal:
 $-\frac{a}{2} = 5, \therefore a = -10$

10 E
 $C = 2.5x + 65 = 750$
 $2.5x = 685, \therefore x = 274$

11 C $2ax + 2by = 3 \dots (1)$
 $3ax - 2by = 7 \dots (2)$
 Add (1) and (2)

$5ax = 10$

$\therefore x = \frac{2}{a}$

Substitute in (1)

$y = -\frac{1}{2b}$

Solutions to Review: Extended-response questions

1 a $C = 100n + 27.5n + 50 + 62.5n = 550 + 190n$

b

$$C \leq 3000 \quad \therefore 550 + 190n \leq 3000$$

$$\therefore 190n \leq 2450$$

$$\therefore n \leq \frac{2450}{190}$$

$$\therefore n < 12.9$$

The cruiser can be hired for up to and including 12 days by someone wanting to spend no more than \$3000.

c $300n < 550 + 190n$

$$110n < 550$$

$$n < 5$$

It's cheaper to hire from the rival company for cruises less than 5 days.

2 a It is the cost of the plug.

b It is the cost per metre of the cable.

c 1.8

d

$$24.5 = 4.5 + 1.8x$$

$$\therefore 20 = 1.8x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x &= \frac{20}{1.8} \\ &= \frac{100}{9} \\ &= 11\frac{1}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$11\frac{1}{9}$ metres of cable would give a total cost of \$ 24.50.

3 a It is the maximum profit when the bus has no empty seats, i.e. $x = 0$.

b $P < 0$

$$1020 - 24x < 0$$

$$-24x < -1020$$

$$x > \frac{-1020}{-24}$$

$$x > 42.5$$

43 empty seats is the least number to cause a loss on a single journey.

c The profit reduces by \$24 for each empty seat.

4 a i $C = 0.091n$, $0 < n \leq 50$

ii $C = 0.058(n - 50) + 0.091 \times 50$

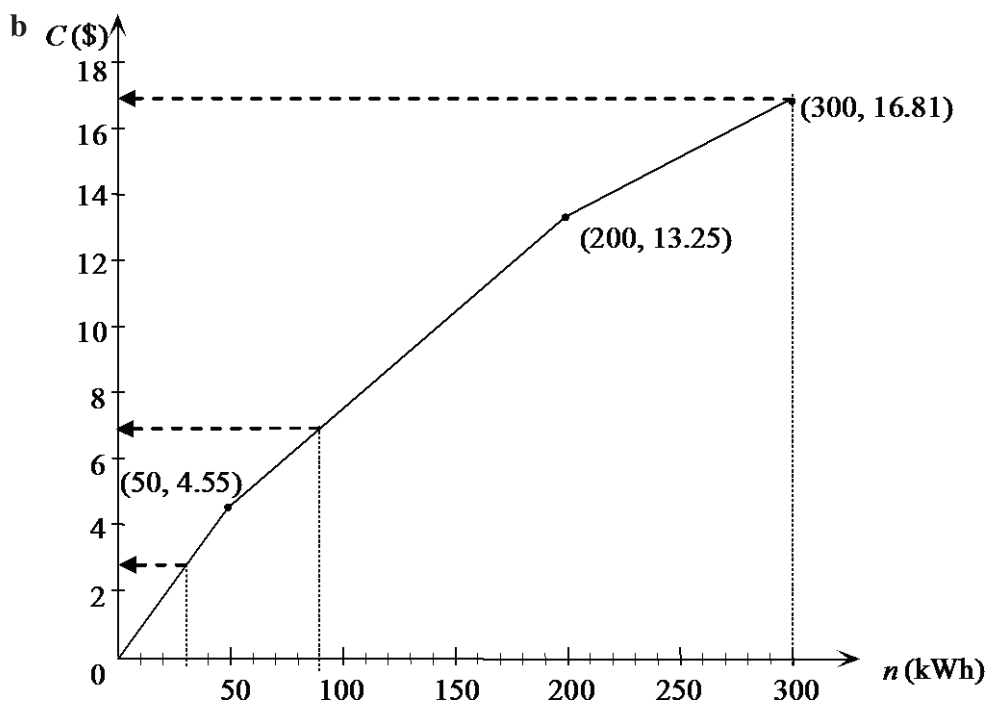
$$= 0.058n - 2.9 + 4.55$$

$$= 0.058n + 1.65, \quad 50 < n \leq 200$$

iii $C = 0.0356(n - 200) + 0.058 \times 200 + 1.65$

$$= 0.0356n - 7.12 + 11.6 + 1.65$$

$$= 0.0356n + 6.13, \quad n > 200$$



i When $n = 30$ kWh,

from the graph	$C \approx \$3$
from the formula	$C = 0.091 \times 30$ $= \$2.73$

ii When $n = 90$ kWh,

from the graph	$C \approx \$7$
from the formula	$C = 0.058 \times 90 + 1.65$ $= \$6.87$

iii When $n = 300$ kWh,

from the graph	$C \approx 17$
from the formula	$C = 0.0356 \times 300 + 6.13$ $= \$16.81$

c When $C = 20$,

$$20 = 0.0356n + 6.13$$

$$\therefore 13.87 = 0.0356n$$

$$\therefore n = 389.60 \dots$$

Approximately 390 kWh of electricity could be used for \$20.

5 a Let $(x_1, y_1) = (2, 10)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (8, -4)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-4 - 10}{8 - 2} \\
 &= \frac{-14}{6} \\
 &= \frac{-7}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$\therefore y - 10 = \frac{-7}{3}(x - 2)$$

$$\therefore y - 10 = \frac{-7}{3}x + \frac{14}{3}$$

$$\therefore y + \frac{7}{3}x = 10 + \frac{14}{3}$$

$$\therefore y + \frac{7}{3}x = \frac{44}{3}$$

$$\therefore 3y + 7x = 44$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{7}{3}x + 14\frac{2}{3}$$

The equation describing the aircraft's flight path is $7x + 3y = 44$.

b When $x = 15$, $7 \times 15 + 3y = 44$

$$\therefore 105 + 3y = 44$$

$$\therefore 3y = -61$$

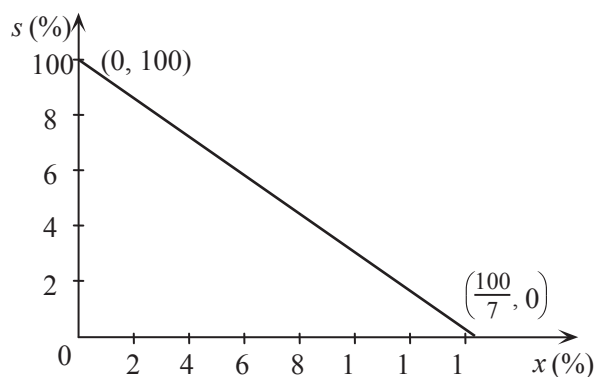
$$\therefore y = \frac{-61}{3}$$

$$= -20\frac{1}{3}$$

When $x = 15$, the aircraft is $20\frac{1}{3}$ km south of O .

6 a $s = 100 - 7x$

b



c $100 - 7x \geq 95$

$$\therefore -7x \geq -5$$

$$\therefore x \leq \frac{5}{7}$$

i.e. $\frac{5}{7}\%$ air can be left in the concrete for at least 95% strength.

d $100 - 7x = 0$

$$\therefore -7x = -100$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{100}{7}$$

$$= 14\frac{2}{7}$$

i.e. the concrete contains $14\frac{2}{7}\%$ air when at 0% strength.

e Concrete at 0% strength would not be useful, therefore not a sensible model.

f $\{x : 0 \leq x \leq 14\frac{2}{7}\}$

- 7 a** For line AB , let $(x_1, y_1) = (0, 2)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (4, 6)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{6 - 2}{4 - 0} = 1$$

(Alternatively, $y = mx + c$, where $m = 1$ as shown and $c = 2$, $\therefore y = x + 2$.)

Now $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$\therefore y - 2 = 1(x - 0)$$

$$\therefore y = x + 2 \text{ is the equation of line } AB.$$

For line CD , let $(x_1, y_1) = (3, 0)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (5, 4)$.

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{4 - 0}{5 - 3} = 2$$

Now $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$\therefore y - 0 = 2(x - 3)$$

$$\therefore y = 2x - 6$$

The equation of line CD is $y = 2x - 6$.

- b** The lines intersect where $x + 2 = 2x - 6$

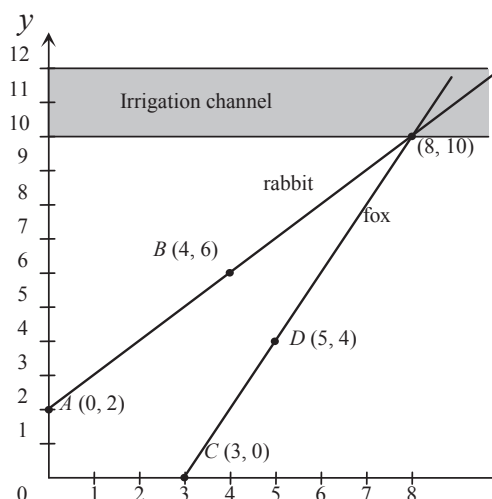
$$\therefore 2 = x - 6$$

$$\therefore x = 8$$

When $x = 8$, $y = 2 \times 8 - 6$

$$\therefore y = 10$$

i.e. the coordinates of the point of intersection are $(8, 10)$, and the paths of the rabbit and the fox meet on the near bank of the irrigation channel.



- 8 a** For the equation of line AB , let $(x_1, y_1) = (-4.5, 2)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (0.25, 7)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \frac{7 - 2}{0.25 - (-4.5)} \\
 &= \frac{5}{4.75} \\
 &= \frac{20}{19}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$\therefore y - 2 = \frac{20}{19}(x - (-4.5))$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{20}{19}x + \frac{90}{19} + 2$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{20}{19}x + \frac{128}{19}$$

The equation of line AB is $y = \frac{20}{19}x + \frac{128}{19}$.

\therefore the y -coordinate of the point V is the y -axis intercept of $\frac{128}{19}$.

- b** For the equation of line VC , let $(x_1, y_1) = (0, \frac{128}{19})$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (5, 1.5)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 C = \frac{128}{19} \text{ and } m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \frac{1.5 - \frac{128}{19}}{5 - 0} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{57}{38} - \frac{256}{38}}{5} = \frac{1}{5} \times -\frac{199}{38} = -\frac{199}{190}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now $y = mx + c$

$$y = -\frac{199}{190}x + \frac{128}{19} \text{ is the equation of the line } VC.$$

- c** Cuts AB and VC are not equally inclined to the vertical axis because the gradients of AB and VC (although opposite in sign) are not the same size, (gradient $AB \approx 1.053$, gradient $VC \approx -1.047$).

- 9 a** For the equation of line PQ , let $(x_1, y_1) = (4, -75)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (36, -4)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \frac{-4 - (-75)}{36 - 4} \\
 &= \frac{71}{32}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$\therefore y - (-75) = \frac{71}{32}(x - 4)$$

$$\therefore y + 75 = \frac{71}{32}x - \frac{71}{8}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{71}{32}x - \frac{671}{8} \text{ is the equation of line } PQ.$$

When $7x = 20$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= \frac{71}{32} \times 20 - \frac{671}{8} \\
 &= \frac{355}{8} - \frac{671}{8} \\
 &= \frac{-316}{8} \\
 &= -39\frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

i.e. line PQ does not pass directly over a hospital located at $H(20, -36)$.

b When $y = -36$,

$$-36 = \frac{71}{32}x - \frac{671}{8}$$

$$\therefore \frac{383}{8} = \frac{71}{32}x$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{383}{8} \times \frac{32}{71} = 21\frac{41}{71}$$

i.e. when $y = -36$, the aircraft is $21\frac{41}{71}$ km east of H .

10 a 5 km due south of E is $D(68, 30)$.

For the equation of line AD , let $(x_1, y_1) = (48, 10)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (68, 30)$.

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{30 - 10}{68 - 48} = 1$$

Now $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$\therefore y - 10 = 1(x - 48)$$

$$\therefore y = x - 38 \text{ is the equation of the new runway.}$$

b $A(48, 10)$

$$\therefore B((48 + 8), y) = (56, y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{When } x = 56, \quad y &= x - 38 \\ &= 56 - 38 \\ &= 18\end{aligned}$$

\therefore the coordinates of B are $(56, 18)$.

c Consider the line connecting $C(88, -10)$ and $D(68, 30)$.

Let $(x_1, y_1) = (88, -10)$ and $(x_2, y_2) = (68, 30)$.

$$\begin{aligned}m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{30 - (-10)}{68 - 88} \\ &= \frac{40}{-20} = -2\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now} \quad y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$\therefore y - (-10) = -2(x - 88)$$

$$\therefore y + 10 = -2x + 176$$

$$\therefore y = -2x + 166 \text{ is the equation defining the line } CD.$$

d $y = 10$ for an auxiliary beacon due east of A .

$$\therefore 2x + 10 = 166$$

$$\therefore 2x = 156$$

$$\therefore x = 78$$

i.e. the coordinates of the auxiliary beacon are $(78, 10)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{11 \ a} \quad \text{Gradient of } AB &= \frac{6 - 8}{8 - 2} \\ &= -\frac{2}{6} \\ &= -\frac{1}{3}\end{aligned}$$

As $AD \perp AB$, gradient of $AD = 3$.

Equation of the line through A and D is

$$y - 8 = 3(x - 2)$$

$$= 3x - 6$$

$$\therefore y = 3x + 2$$

b D lies on the line with equation $y = 3x + 2$, and has an x -coordinate of 0.

When $x = 0, y = 2 \therefore D$ is the point $(0, 2)$.

- c Let M be the midpoint of AB , with coordinates (x, y) .

$$x = \frac{2+8}{2} = 5$$

and $y = \frac{8+6}{2} = 7$

$\therefore M$ is the point $(5, 7)$.

The point M lies on the perpendicular bisector of AB that has a gradient 3.

The equation of the perpendicular bisector of AB is

$$y - 7 = 3(x - 5)$$

$$= 3x - 15$$

$$\therefore y = 3x - 8$$

- d Let C be the point (a, b) .

C lies on the lines with equation $y = 3x - 8$ and $3y = 4x - 14$

$$\therefore b = 3a - 8 \quad (1)$$

and $3b = 4a - 14 \quad (2)$

Substituting (1) into (2) yields

$$3(3a - 8) = 4a - 14$$

$$\therefore 9a - 24 = 4a - 14$$

$$\therefore 5a = 10$$

$$\therefore a = 2$$

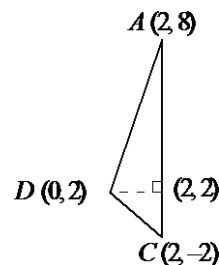
$$\therefore b = 3(2) - 8 = -2$$

$\therefore C$ is the point $(2, -2)$.

- e Area of triangle ADC

Using $\frac{1}{2}(\text{base})(\text{height})$, area $\triangle ADC$ is simply

$$\frac{1}{2}(2)(10) = 10 \text{ square units [since } AC = \text{base length} = 10 \text{ units]}$$



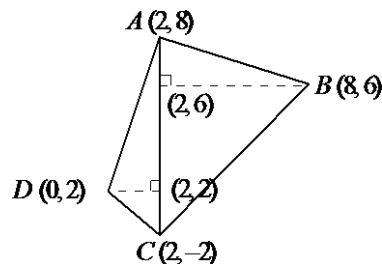
- f Area $\triangle ABC$ is simply $\frac{1}{2}(6)(10) = 30$ square units

Area of quadrilateral $ABCD$

$$= \text{area of } \triangle ADC + \text{area of } \triangle ABC$$

$$= 10 + 30$$

$$= 40 \text{ square units}$$



12 a $C = 40x + 30\,000$

b When $x = 6000$,

$$C = 40 \times 6000 + 30\,000$$

$$= 270\,000$$

$$\text{Cost per wheelbarrow} = \frac{270\,000}{6000}$$

$$= 45$$

i.e. overall cost per wheelbarrow is \$45.

c Cost per wheelbarrow = \$46

$$\therefore \frac{40x + 30\,000}{x} = 46$$

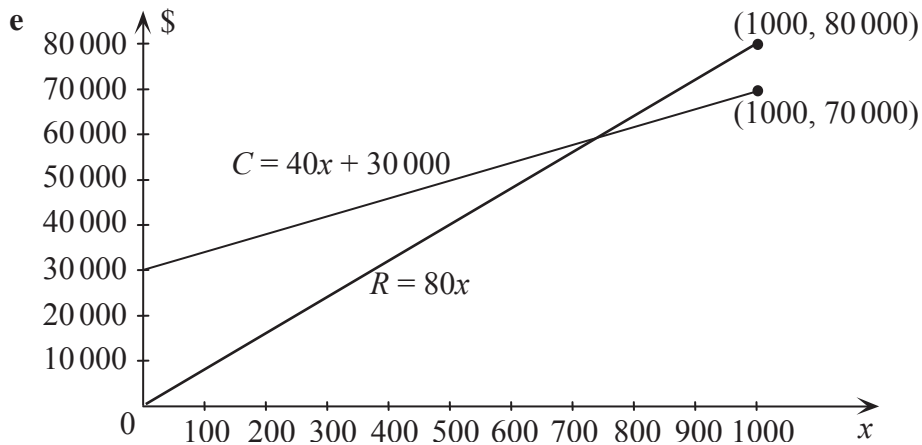
$$\therefore 40x + 30\,000 = 46x$$

$$\therefore 30\,000 = 6x$$

$$\therefore x = 5000$$

i.e. 5000 wheelbarrows must be made for an overall cost of \$46 each.

d $R = 80x$



f $R > C$, $\therefore 80x > 40x + 30\,000$

$$\therefore 40x > 30\,000$$

$$\therefore x > 750$$

i.e. minimum number of wheelbarrows to make a profit is 751.

g $P = R - C$

$$= 80x - (40x + 30\,000)$$

$$= 40x - 30\,000$$

13 a Cost of Method 1 = $100 + 0.08125 \times 1560$
 $= 226.75$

Cost of Method 2 = $4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times 1560$
 $= 227$

i.e. Method 1 is cheaper for 1560 units.

b

	Number of units of electricity			
	0	1000	2000	3000
Cost (\$) by Method 1	100	181.25	262.50	343.75
Cost (\$) by Method 2	110	185	260	335

Calculations for Method 1:

$$100 + 0.08125 \times 0 = 100$$

$$100 + 0.08125 \times 1000 = 181.25$$

$$100 + 0.08125 \times 2000 = 262.50$$

$$100 + 0.08125 \times 3000 = 343.75$$

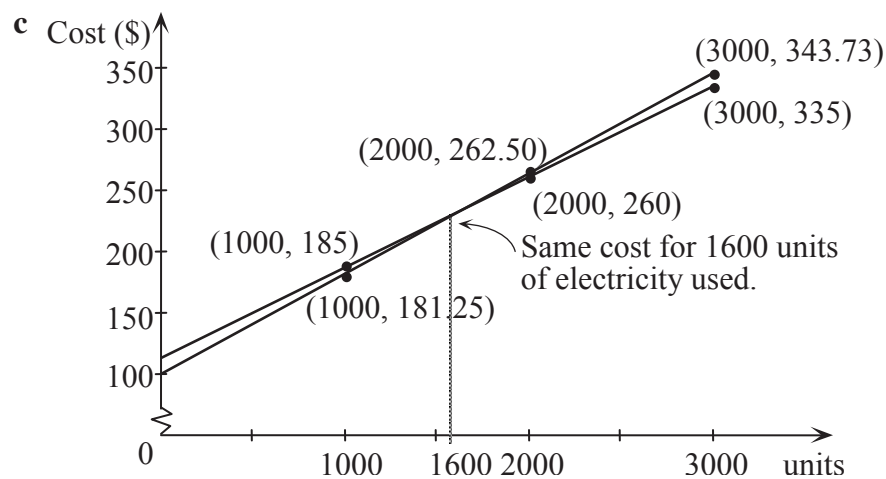
Calculations for Method 2:

$$4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times 0 = 110$$

$$4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times 1000 = 185$$

$$4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times 2000 = 260$$

$$4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times 3000 = 335$$



d $C_1 = 100 + 0.08125x$

$$C_2 = 4 \times 27.5 + 0.075 \times x$$

$$= 110 + 0.075x$$

$$\text{When } C_1 = C_2, \quad 100 + 0.08125x = 110 + 0.075x$$

$$0.00625x = 10$$

$$x = 1600$$

- 14 a** M is the point directly below the intersection of lines AC and BD .

Find the equations of the lines AC and BD .

M is the midpoint of both AC and BD .

Use the midpoint formula to find the coordinates of M .

Using line AC :

$$M = \left(\frac{10 + 24}{2}, \frac{16 + 8}{2} \right)$$

$$= (17, 12)$$

i.e. the point to which the hook must be moved has coordinates $(17, 12)$.

- b** $(17, 12)$ is a point on the line, and $m = \text{gradient of } AB$

$$\text{where } (x_1, y_1) = (10, 16)$$

$$\text{and } (x_2, y_2) = (16, 20)$$

$$\therefore m = \frac{20 - 16}{16 - 10} = \frac{2}{3}$$

\therefore equation of line parallel to AB is

$$y - 12 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 17)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{34}{3} + 12$$

$$\therefore 3y = 2x + 2$$

- 15 a** Find equations of lines PA, AB, BC, CD and DP using the formula $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$, where $m = -\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$.

For line PA

$$m = \frac{60 - 120}{100 - 0}$$

$$= -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$y - 120 = -\frac{3}{5}(x - 0)$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{3}{5}x + 120$$

For line AB

$$m = \frac{100 - 60}{200 - 100}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5}$$

$$y - 60 = \frac{2}{5}(x - 100)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{5}x + 20$$

For line BC

$$m = \frac{200 - 100}{160 - 200}$$

$$= -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$y - 100 = -\frac{5}{2}(x - 200)$$

$$y = -\frac{5}{2}x + 600$$

For line CD

$$m = \frac{160 - 200}{60 - 160}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5}$$

$$y - 200 = \frac{2}{5}(x - 160)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{5}x + 136$$

For line DP

$$m = \frac{120 - 160}{0 - 60}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

$$y - 120 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 0)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{3}x + 120$$

b $m_{PA} = -\frac{3}{5}$

$$m_{AB} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$m_{BC} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$m_{CD} = \frac{2}{5}$$

and $m_{DP} = \frac{2}{3}$

Now $m_{AB} = m_{CD} = \frac{2}{5}$

and $m_{AB} \times m_{BC} = \frac{2}{5} \times -\frac{5}{2} = -1$

\therefore line BC is perpendicular to lines AB and CD , which are parallel.

Hence $\angle ABC$ and $\angle BCD$ are right angles.